HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE L. NARASIMHA REDDY

WRIT PETITION No.13246 of 2007

Date: 06-08-2007.

Between :

Yalamanchali Kishore Babu & others.

.....Petitioners

And

State of Andhra Pradesh, rep. by its Secretary,
Revenue (Registration and Stamps) Department & others.

.....Respondents.

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ORDER :

The petitioners claim to be unlicensed document writers at different places in the Krishna District. Their services were being availed by the interested persons before the Government launched Computer Aided Registration Department (Card system). With the introduction of that system, the services of even the licensed document writers were dispensed with.

In the recent past, the Commissioner and Inspector General of Registration had issued a Memo, directing the District Registrars to furnish the list of document writers in the respective offices of Sub-Registrars by the time the system of licensed document writers was dispensed with. This appears to be a step towards re-introduction of the system of licensed document writers. The petitioners contend that in case the system of licensed document writers is introduced, they also deserve to be extended the benefit and in this context, they made representations,

dated 14.12.2006 and 20.12.2006. Their grievance is that no action has been taken thereon.

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Government Pleader for Revenue.

In a way the writ petition is pre-mature. As the policy stands now, the services of licensed document writers, not to speak to the unlicensed document writers, are dispensed with. It is only when the facilities are extended to the licensed document writers that the petitioners can claim any benefit either on par or at a different scale with the licensed ones. Till such time, the petitioners cannot be said to have suffered any detriment nor any cause of action can be said to have accrued to them.

Hence, the writ petition is dismissed as pre-mature, leaving it open to the petitioners to pursue the remedies as and when the cause of action arises.

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L. NARASIMHA REDDY, J

6th August, 2007

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